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The Carlsbad Jurisdictional Urban Runoff Management Plan (JURMP) was prepared to meet or exceed the requirements of NPDES Order 2001-01 issued by the San Diego Regional Water Quality Control Board (SDRWQCB). This JURMP will be the guide for the City to manage improvements in water quality and reduce pollutants in urban runoff beginning February 21, 2002. The JURM Plan is a process of continuous improvement, both in the application of new procedures, technology, data analysis and best management practices. The JURMP will change and develop as the program matures and evolves through the life of the Permit.

The City of Carlsbad is committed to meeting the conditions and requirements in the Permit and in this JURMP to the Maximum Extent Practicable to achieve the goals of water quality improvement and beneficial uses in the Carlsbad Hydrologic Unit or Watershed.

The process to implement this JURMP will require significant financial resources from the City and funding sources are currently under review. The implementation will also require changes in practices, procedures, data management, and work flows throughout the City organization. Development of this JURMP has taken into account these changes as well as some of the existing limitations in the organization in order to initiate the necessary changes that will lead to full implementation. Each Permit Component listed in this JURMP has Action Plans that the City will initiate or has initiated in order to fully implement all aspects of the JURMP and the Permit.

Successful implementation of this JURMP will require that all Action Plans be implemented in a timely manner, or modified in writing when a change in course is needed. If new actions are identified during implementation of the JURMP that increase water quality, enhance compliance with the Permit, or result from the annual performance assessment, these actions should be formalized in writing as modifications to the JURMP. All changes to the JURMP must be coordinated through the Environmental Program Manager in the Storm Water Protection Program to ensure they are properly documented. All Action Plan changes to JURMP Components will be submitted to the SDRWCQB has part of the Annual Report.